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PAID ATTENDANTS IN VOGUE

New York Gossip Has Them Glum Over Prosecutions—Tidal Wave Fails to Materialize—Lusitana Proves Better Harbor Facilities Are Needed.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—New York is to have something new in the line of business which will at the same time prove a boon to lone females and aid college students who do not have their education paid for out of a parental purse.

An investigator with a bent for facts of curious interest has discovered that while the sky-scrapers of Manhattan are pushing to greater and greater heights, the city underground has been growing even more rapidly.

the North and East rivers and workmen on the subways. In addition to this specialized line of underground activity, there are certain industries that are carried on almost entirely beneath the surface.

One of the most curious transcontinental trips within the memory of the present generation came to a spectacular close here this week when Ezra Meeker reached this city in a regular old-fashioned prairie schooner, drawn by a pair of plodding oxen.

is going to lay before President Roosevelt just as soon as his ox team can get him to Oyster Bay.

What local physicians look upon as the most remarkable case in medical history was revealed this week by the autopsy following the death of a Mrs. Stevens, who has lived for months with a hole in her heart through which the blood leaked out.

If half of what Agostino Guiseppi Grosso, an Italian chemist now visiting here, claims he can do turns out to be true, sculptors and makers of animal statues generally might as well quit work and begin to look for some other means of livelihood.

GETS BIG FORTUNE

Mexican Leaves Estate to Girl of Photograph.

HAD NOT SEEN EACH OTHER

Girl's Friend Takes Picture of Her to Mexico and Mexican Falls in Love With it—Leaves Her About Half a Million.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 5.—To be left half a million by a person whom one never seen sounds like a fairy tale, but it has been realized in Milwaukee, according to Miss Lydia Paeschke, 1221 Claybourne street.

Miss Paeschke received a letter from attorneys in Mexico yesterday acquainting her of the fortune left her, and she immediately placed the matter in the hands of her attorneys, Baker & Zimmers, who will take charge of the transference of papers.

"It sounds like a fairy tale, doesn't it?" said Miss Paeschke last night. "Yet it is true. It is hard for me to realize it myself; if it had been \$4,000 I wouldn't have thought so much about it, but \$400,000—why I cannot realize it myself.

"When C. E. Jones was about to leave for Mexico the latter part of May, he asked me for one of my pictures to take along with him. When he got there he happened to show the picture to the Mexican, whose name I think was Manda, or something like that.

"A short time ago I received a letter from Mr. Jones and he then told me that my picture had made a great impression upon the Mexican. He said that when he showed the photograph to Mr. Manda the latter said, 'I could learn to love that girl.'

"Of course, I thought he was just flattering me at the time and paid no attention to it. Shortly after that I received a letter from the Mexican himself, but I was unable to read it and threw it away, being afraid that somebody else would get hold of it. Just fancy throwing away a letter that was written by a man who was going to leave me \$400,000!

"From that time on I heard no more about the matter until yesterday, when I received word from attorneys in Mexico telling me that I had been left the money by Mr. Manda, who died just recently, and asking me what they should do in the matter. I turned the matter over to my attorneys.

"The queerest coincidence is a visit I made a fortune teller last summer. I went down and had my fortune told and she said that at some time not far distant I would be left a vast fortune, but of course I didn't believe it. They always tell you something like that and I had heard the same thing so often that I paid no further attention to it. I guess, after all, that she did know something about it.

"I wish I had one of the pictures that I gave Mr. Jones when he went away. Since this morning I have been hunting high and low for it, but I haven't been able to find it. It would be a great treasure to me after what has happened, but perhaps I shall come across it after the shock and excitement has worn off. You can't imagine my surprise this morning.

"I'll bet he wouldn't have left me that money if he had known that I had been married."

Miss Paeschke was formerly Mrs. Paul Rosenthal and resided at West Bend. She was married three years ago, but on August 27 she obtained a divorce. Their child is nearly 2 years old. The heiress was born in this city, her parents being Mr. and Mrs. Henman Paeschke.

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